

the BOARD and BATTEN

Newsletter of the Pacific Grove Heritage Society

October 15, 1982

Dear Heritage Society Member:

The Heritage Society's tea at the Centrella Hotel on September 24 was an unqualified success, due to the generous and much appreciated efforts of Lila Staples and Dede Bent, Cochairpersons, and those of Beverly Williams, who planned and coordinated the bill of fare. We also extend our thanks to the generous artistes de cuisine who provided the beautifully prepared and toothsome comestibles.

Progress is being made on the plaque bearing the names of all contributors to The Barn Fund. The silk-screening process is underway at the present time. It is hoped that the etching and mounting will be completed some time before the end of the year.

If you are interested in including your home in the 1983 Victorian Home Tour, please call Doris Bissell at 375-9647, or Marilyn Arioto at 649-8270.

Adam Weiland, Historic Preservation Chairperson, reports that 98 photos (from our collection of over 600) have been catalogued to date. This involves checking city and county records and other information sources to verify facts about the photos' subjects.

Historical Plaques have recently been delivered for the following homes:

Address	Date	First Owner
305 18th Street	1898	Mrs. Adeline Belcher
112 Forest Avenue	1892	W. H. Stephens
316 8th Street	1889	Mrs. Charlotte Saal
Christian Church	1896	Christian Church
649 Lighthouse	1894	Dr. Andrew Hart

Carroll Jeanne Gingras has agreed to be Chairperson of Dosents. She coordinates the hosts and hostesses who greet visitors at Ketchum's Barn on Saturdays from 1-4 p.m. If you are able to donate three hours of your time on a Saturday afternoon please contact Carroll at 372-3700.

Currently on exhibit at Ketchum's Barn is "The Chautauqua Connection," centering around clothing loaned to the Heritage Society by the Goldsworthy sisters, whose mother and aunt wore the garments to Chautauqua meetings. Also on display are many photos not seen before. Stop in Saturdays from 1:00 to 4:00 p.m. This exhibit will continue until sometime in November.

A recent addition to the exhibit is a magnetic board which contains individual magnetized pieces representing various Victorian architectural features. Children are welcome to come to Ketchum's Barn to amuse themselves by moving the pieces around on the board and coming up with their own unique combinations. (Children, bring your parents! They'll love the exhibit and all the information about Pacific Grove.)

The upcoming exhibit will be "A Victorian Child's Christmas" and will feature Victorian children's toys, clothes, furniture and Christmas decorations. Anyone wishing to contribute time or to loan items for this exhibit is asked to call Anne Downs at 375-3650.

Business card-sized ads are now available in the Board and Batten. The cost of an ad is \$5.00 for members and \$7.50 for non-members. Call 372-2898 or 649-1007 for further information.

You are encouraged to become involved in some aspect of the Society's activities which you find particularly interesting. If you would like more information, or if you have any questions or suggestions, call the Heritage Society at 372-2898.

Sincerely,
The Board of Directors,
Heritage Society of Pacific Grove

P.S. You're in good company! Membership of the Heritage Society as of October 4, 1982, is 176.

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